## IN THE CLAIMS:

1. (Currently Amended): A method of preventing a condition selected from the group consisting of psychosis, affective psychosis, nonorganic non-organic psychosis, personality disorders, schizophrenic and schizoaffective disorders, bipolar disorders, dysphoric mania, Parkinson's disease, extrapyramidal side effects from neuroleptic neuroleptic agents, neuroleptic malignant syndrome, tardive dyskinesia, nausea, emesis, hyperdermia and amenorrhea in a mammal comprising administering to a preventing mammal an effective amount of said mammal a compound of the formula

$$X^3$$
 $N$ 
 $R^1$ 
 $X^1$ 
 $R^2$ 
 $R^4$ 

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof wherein:

each dashed line in the above formula represents an optional double bond, provided both dashed lines do not simultaneously represent a double bond;

 $X^1$  and  $X^2$  are each independently selected from O and  $-(CH_2)_j$ - wherein j is 1 or 2, provided that no O is doubly-bonded to an adjacent atom;

$$X^3 \text{ is -CH}(R^5)N(R^6)CH(R^6)\text{-, -CH}(R^5)C(R^8)(R^9)CH(R^6)\text{-, -} \\ C(R^5)=C(R^8)CH(R^6)\text{-, or -CH}(R^5)C(R^8)=C(R^6)\text{-;} \\$$

 $R^1$  and  $R^2$  are each independently H, hydroxy or  $C_1$ - $C_6$  alkyl; or  $R^1$  and  $R^2$  are taken together as a bond;

each  $R^3$  is independently selected from  $-S(O)_jR^7$  wherein j is an integer ranging from 0 to 2,  $-C(O)R^7$ ,  $-OR^7$ ,  $-NC(O)R^7$ ,  $-NR^7R^{12}$ , and the substituents provided in the definition of  $R^7$  other than H;

 $R^4$  is absent where the dashed line in the above formula 1 represents a double bond or  $R^4$  is selected from H and the substituents provided in the definition of  $R^3$ ;

or R<sup>3</sup> and R<sup>4</sup> are taken together with the carbon atom to which each is attached to form a 5-10 membered mono-cyclic or bicyclic group wherein said cyclic group may be carbocyclic or heterocyclic with 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from O, S, and -N(R<sup>11</sup>)- with the proviso that two O atoms, two S atoms, or an O and S atom are not attached directly to each other; said cyclic group is saturated or partially unsaturated; aromatic or non-aromatic; 1 or 2 of the carbon atoms in said cyclic group optionally may be replaced by an oxo -C(O)- moiety; and said cyclic group is optionally substituted by 1 to 3 R<sup>10</sup> groups;

 $R^5$  and  $R^6$  are each independently selected from H and  $C_1$ - $C_4$  alkyl; or  $R^5$  and  $R^6$  are taken together as -(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>q</sub>- wherein q is 2 or 3; or  $R^5$  or  $R^6$  is taken together with  $R^8$  as defined below;

each R<sup>7</sup> is independently selected from H, -(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>t</sub>(C<sub>6</sub>-C<sub>10</sub> aryl) and - (CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>t</sub>(4-10 membered heterocyclic), wherein t is an integer ranging from 0 to 5; 1 or 2 of the carbon atoms of said heterocyclic group optionally may be replaced with an oxo - C(O)- group; said aryl and heterocyclic R<sup>7</sup> groups are optionally fused to a benzene ring, a C<sub>5</sub>-C<sub>8</sub> saturated cyclic group, or a 4-10 membered heterocyclic group; the -

 $(CH_2)_{t}$ - moieties of the foregoing  $R^7$  groups optionally include a carbon-carbon double or triple bond where t is an integer between 2 and 5; and the foregoing  $R^7$  groups, except H, are optionally substituted by 1 to 5  $R^{10}$  groups;

 ${\bf R}^{\bf 8}$  is selected from the substituents provided in the definition of  ${\bf R}^{\bf 7}$  other than H;

 $R^9$  is selected from the substituents provided in the definition of  $R^7$ ;

or R<sup>8</sup> and R<sup>9</sup> are taken together with the carbon to which each is attached to form a 5-10 membered mono-cyclic or bicyclic group wherein said cyclic group is carbocyclic or heterocyclic with 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from O, S, and -N(R<sup>11</sup>)-with the proviso that two O atoms, two S atoms, or an O and S atom are not attached directly to each other; saturated or partially unsaturated; aromatic or non-aromatic; 1 or 2 of the carbon atoms in said cyclic group optionally may be replaced by an oxo -C(O)-moiety; and said cyclic group is optionally substituted by 1 to 3 R<sup>10</sup> groups;

or R<sup>8</sup> taken together with either R<sup>5</sup> or R<sup>6</sup> and the separate carbon atoms to which each is attached to form a fused 5-10 membered mono-cyclic or bicyclic group wherein said cyclic group may be carbocyclic or heterocyclic with 1 to 3 heteroatomS selected from O, S, and -N(R<sup>11</sup>)- with the proviso that two O atoms, two S atoms, or an O and S atom are not attached directly to each other; saturated or partially unsaturated; aromatic or non-aromatic; 1 or 2 of the carbon atoms in said cyclic group optionally may be replaced by an oxo -C(O)- moiety; and said cyclic group is optionally substituted by 1 to 3 R<sup>10</sup> groups;

each R<sup>10</sup> is independently selected from C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>10</sub> alkyl, C<sub>2</sub>-C<sub>10</sub> alkenyl, C2-C10 alkynyl, halo, cyano, nitro, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy, azido, -OR<sup>11</sup>,  $-C(O)R^{11}, -C(O)OR^{11}, -NR^{12}C(O)OR^{11}, -OC(O)R^{11}, -NR^{12}SO_2R^{11}, -SO_2NR^{11}R^{12}, -NR^{12}SO_2R^{11}, -SO_2NR^{11}R^{12}, -NR^{12}SO_2R^{11}, -N$ -NR<sup>12</sup>C(O)R<sub>11</sub>, -C(O)NR<sup>11</sup>R<sup>12</sup>, -NR<sup>11</sup>R<sup>12</sup>, S(O)<sub>i</sub>(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkyl) wherein j is an integer ranging from 0 to 2,  $-(CH_2)_m(C_6-C_{10} \text{ aryl})$ ,  $SO_2(CH_2)_m(C_6-C_{10} \text{ aryl})$ ,  $S(CH_2)_m(C_6-C_{10} \text{ aryl})$ aryl), -O(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>m</sub>(C<sub>6</sub>-C<sub>10</sub> aryl) and -(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>m</sub>(4-10 membered heterocyclic), wherein m is an integer ranging from 0 to 4; said C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>10</sub> alkyl group optionally contains 1 or 2 hetero moieties selected from O, S and -N(R<sup>12</sup>)- with the proviso that two O atoms, two S atoms, or an O and S atom are not attached directly to each other; said aryl and heterocyclic R<sup>10</sup> groups are optionally fused to a C<sub>6</sub>-C<sub>10</sub> aryl group, a C<sub>5</sub>-C<sub>8</sub> saturated cyclic group, or a 4-10 membered heterocyclic group; and said alkyl, aryl and heterocyclic R<sup>10</sup> groups are optionally substituted by 1 to 3 substituents independently selected from halo, cyano, nitro, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy, azido, - $\mathsf{NR}^{11}\mathsf{S0}_2\mathsf{R}^{11}, -\mathsf{SO}_2\mathsf{NR}^{11}\mathsf{R}^{12}, -\mathsf{C}(\mathsf{O})\mathsf{R}^{11}, -\mathsf{C}(\mathsf{O})\mathsf{OR}^{11}, -\mathsf{OC}(\mathsf{O})\mathsf{R}^{11}, -\mathsf{NR}^{12}\mathsf{C}(\mathsf{O})\mathsf{R}^{11},$ -C(O)NR<sup>11</sup>R<sup>12</sup>, -NR<sup>11</sup>R<sup>12</sup>, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkyl, -OR<sup>11</sup> and the substituents listed in the definition of R<sup>11</sup>;

each  $R^{11}$  is independently selected from H,  $C_1$ - $C_{10}$  alkyl, - $(CH_2)_m(C_6$ - $C_{10}$  aryl), and - $(CH_2)_m(4$ -10 membered heterocyclic), wherein m is an integer ranging from 0 to 4; said alkyl group optionally includes 1 or 2 hetero moieties selected from O, S and - $N(R^{12})$ - with the proviso that two O atoms, two S atoms, or an O and S atom are not attached directly to each other; said aryl and heterocyclic  $R^{11}$  groups are optionally

fused to a  $C_6$ - $C_{10}$  aryl group, a  $C_5$ - $C_8$  saturated cyclic group, or a 4-10 membered heterocyclic group; and the foregoing  $R^{11}$  subsituents, except H, are optionally substituted by 1 to 3 substituents independently selected from halo, cyano, nitro, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy, azido, - $C(O)R^{12}$ , - $C(O)OR^{12}$ , CO(O) $R^{12}$ , - $NR^{12}C(O)R^{13}$ , - $C(O)NR^{12}R^{13}$ , - $NR^{12}R^{13}$ , hydroxy,  $C_1$ - $C_6$  alkyl, and  $C_1$ - $C_6$  alkoxy; and,

each  $R^{12}$  and  $R^{13}$  is independently H or  $C_1$ - $C_6$  alkyl.

2. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 1 wherein said formula 1 has the following structure

wherein  $R^3$  is -(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>t</sub>(C<sub>6</sub>-C<sub>10</sub> aryl) or -(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>t</sub>(4-10 membered heterocyclic),  $R^4$  is H or hydroxy, and  $R^8$  is -(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>t</sub>(C<sub>6</sub>-C<sub>10</sub> aryl) or -(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>t</sub>(4-10 membered heterocyclic), t is an integer ranging from 0 to 5, the foregoing  $R^3$  and  $R^8$  heterocyclic groups are optionally fused to a benzene ring, and said  $R^3$  and  $R^8$  groups are optionally substituted by 1 to 3  $R^{10}$  groups.

3. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 2 wherein R<sup>3</sup> is a heterocyclic group fused to a benzene ring and, optionally, 1 or 2 of the carbon atoms of said

heterocyclic group are replaced with an oxo -C(O)- group.

4. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 1 wherein said formula 1 has the following structure

wherein  $R^3$  is  $-O(CH_2)_t(C_6-C_{10} \text{ aryl})$  or  $-O(CH_2)_t(4-lO \text{ membered})$  heterocyclic),  $R^4$  is H or hydroxy, and  $R^8$  is  $-(CH_2)_t(C_6-C_{10} \text{ aryl})$  or  $-(CH_2)_t(4-lO \text{ membered})$  membered heterocyclic), t is an integer ranging from 0 to 5, and the foregoing  $R^3$  and  $R^8$  groups are optionally substituted by 1 to 3  $R^{10}$  groups.

5. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 1 wherein said formula 1 has the following structure

$$R^{8} - N \longrightarrow N^{1} \longrightarrow R^{3}$$

wherein R<sup>3</sup> and R<sup>4</sup> are taken together with the carbon atom to which each is attached to form a 5-10 membered mono-cyclic or bicyclic group wherein said

cyclic group may be carbocyclic or heterocyclic with 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from O, S, and -N(R<sup>11</sup>)- with the proviso that two O atoms, two S atoms, or an O and S atom are not attached directly to each other; said cyclic group is saturated or partially unsaturated; aromatic or non-aromatic; 1 or 2 of the carbon atoms in said cyclic group optionally may be replaced by an oxo -C(O)- moiety; and said cyclic group is optionally substituted by 1 to 3 R<sup>10</sup> groups; and R<sup>8</sup> is -(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>t</sub>(C<sub>6</sub>-C<sub>10</sub> aryl) or -(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>t</sub>(4-10 membered heterocyclic), wherein t is an integer ranging from 0 to 5 and said R<sup>8</sup>, R<sup>3</sup> and R<sup>4</sup> groups are optionally substituted by 1 to 3 R<sup>10</sup> groups.

6. (Currently Amended): A method according to claim 1 wherein the compound is selected from the group consisting of

 $(2^{\circ}a,3^{\circ}a\beta,5^{\circ}\alpha,6^{\circ}a\beta)-5^{\circ}-[4-(4-Fluoro-phenyl)-piperazin-1-yl]-hexahydropentalene-2^{\circ}-one;$ 

 $(2'\alpha,3'a\beta,5'\alpha,6'a\beta)-5'-[4-(4-Fluoro-phenyl)-piperazin-1-yl]-2'-phenyl-octahydro-pentalen-2'ol, maleate salt;$ 

 $(2^{\circ}\alpha,3^{\circ}a\beta,5^{\circ}\alpha,6^{\circ}a\beta)$ -5'-[4-(4-Cyano-3-fluoro-phenyl)-piperazin-1-yl]-hexahydropentalene-2-one, ethylene ketal;

 $(2'\alpha,3'a\beta,5'a,6'a\beta)$ -5'-[4-(4-Cyano-3-fluoro-phenyl)-piperazin-1-yl]-hexahydropentalene-2-one;

 $(2'\alpha,3'a\beta,5'\alpha,6'a\beta)-2\text{-Fluoro-4-[4-(5'-hydroxy-5-phenyl-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl)-pipe[[e]]razin-1-yl]-benzonitrile, maleate salt;}$ 

 $(2\alpha,3a\beta,5\alpha,6a\beta)$ -5-Hydroxy-5-phenyl-hexahydro-pentalen-2-one;  $(2'\alpha,3a\beta,5'\alpha,6'a\beta)$ -5'-[4-(2-Methoxy-phenyl)-piperazin-1-yl]-2'-phenyloctahydro-pentalen-2'ol, maleate salt;

 $(2'\alpha,3'a\beta,5'\alpha,6'a\beta)-5'-[4-(4-Fluoro-1-pyrimidyl)-piperazin-l-yl]-2'-(4-fluoro-phenyl)-octahydro-pentalen-2'ol, maleate salt;$ 

 $(2'\alpha,3'a\beta,5'\alpha,6'a\beta)-5'-[4-(4-Cyano-3-fluoro-phenyl)-piperazin-1-yl]-2'-\\ (4-fluoro-phenyl)-octahydro-pentalen-2'ol, maleate salt;$ 

 $(2'\alpha,3'a\beta,5'\alpha,6'a\beta)-5'-[4-(4-Fluoro-phenyl)-piperazin-1-yl]-2'-(4-fluoro-phenyl)-octahydro-pentalen-2'ol, maleate salt;$ 

(2'α, 3'aβ, 6'aβ)-1 -(4-Fluoro-phenyl)-4-(5'-phenyl-1',2',3',3'a,4',6'a-hexahydro-pentalen-2-yl)-piperazine dihydrochloride;

 $(2'\alpha,3'a\beta,6'a\beta)$ -5-Fluoro-2-[4-(5'-phenyl-1',2',3',3'a,4',6'a-hexahydro-pentalen-2'-yl)-3piperazin-1-yl]-pyrimidine maleate;

 $(2^{\circ}\alpha,3^{\circ}a\beta,6^{\circ}a\beta)$ -2-Fluoro-4-[4-(5'-phenyl-1',2',3',3'a,4',6'a-hexahydro-pentalen-2-yl)-piperazin-1-yl]-benzonitrile, maleate;

 $(2^{\circ}\alpha, 3^{\circ}a\beta, 6^{\circ}a\beta)$ -2-Fluoro-4- $\{4-[5-(2-methoxy-phenyl)-$ 

 $1`,2`,3`,3`a,4`,6`a-hexahydro-pentalen-2-yl]-piperazin-1-yl\}-benzonitrile, maleate;$ 

(2'α, 3'aβ, 6'aβ)-1-Phenyl-4-(5'-phenyl-1',2',3',3'a,4',6'a-hexahydropentalen-2'-yl)-piperazine, dimaleate;

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'α, 6'aβ)-1 -(4-Fluoro-phenyl)-4-(5'-phenyl-octahydro-pentalen-2'yl)-piperazine, dihydrochloride;

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'α, 6'aβ)-5-Fluoro-2-[4-(5'-phenyl-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl)-piperazin-1-yl]-pyrimidine, maleate;

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'α, 6'aβ)-2-Fluoro-4-[4-(5'-phenyl-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl)-piperazin-1-yl]-benzonitrile, maleate;

 $(2'\alpha, 3'a\beta, 5'\alpha, 6'a\beta)$ -1-Phenyl-4-(5'-phenyl-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl)-piperazine, maleate;

 $(2'\alpha,3'a\beta,5'\alpha,6'a\beta)-5'-Hydroxy-5-(2-trifluoromethyl-phenyl)-hexahydro-pentalen-2'-one;$ 

 $(2'\alpha,3'a\beta,6'a\beta)-5'-(2-trifluoromethyl-phenyl)-3,3a,4,6a-tetrahydro-1H-pentalen-2'-one, ethylene ketal;$ 

 $(2^{\circ}\alpha,3^{\circ}a\beta,5^{\circ}\alpha,6^{\circ}a\beta)$ -5'-(2-Trifluoromethyl-phenyl)-hexahydro-1H-pentalen-2'-one, ethylene ketal;

 $(2'\alpha,3'a\beta,5'\alpha,6'a\beta)-5'-(2-Trifluoromethyl-phenyl)-hexahydro-1H-pentalen-2'-one;$ 

 $(2^{\circ}\alpha, 3^{\circ}a\beta, 5^{\circ}\alpha, 6^{\circ}a\beta)$ -2-Fluoro-4- $\{4-[5^{\circ}-(2-trifluoromethyl-phenyl)-octahydro-pentalen-2^{\circ}-yl]$ -piperazin-1-yl $\}$ -benzonitrile, maleate;

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'α, 6'aβ)-2-Fluoro-4-{4-[5'-(2-methoxy-phenyl)-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl]-piperazin-1-yl}-benzonitrile, maleate;

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'α, 6'aβ)-5-Fluoro-2-{4-[5'-(2-methoxy-phenyl-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl]-piperazin-1-yl}-pyrimidine, maleate;

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'α, 6'aβ)-2-Fluoro-4-{4-[5'-(3-methoxy-phenyl)-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl]-piperazin-1-yl}-benzonitrile, maleate;

 $(2^{\circ}\alpha, 3^{\circ}a\beta, 5^{\circ}\alpha, 6^{\circ}a\beta)$ -2-Fluoro-4- $\{4-[5^{\circ}-(4-methoxy-phenyl)-octahydro-pentalen-2-yl]-piperazin-1-yl}-benzonitrile, maleate;$ 

 $(2^{\circ}\alpha, 3^{\circ}a\beta, 5^{\circ}\alpha, 6^{\circ}a\beta)$ -2-Fluoro-4-[4-(5'-o-tolyl-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl)-piperazin-1-yl]-benzonitrile, maleate;

 $(2^{\circ}\alpha, 3^{\circ}a\beta, 5^{\circ}\alpha, 6^{\circ}a\beta)$ -5-Fluoro-2-[4-(5'-o-tolyl-octahydro-pentalen-2'-

yl)-piperazin-1-yl]-pyrimidine, maleate;

 $(2'\alpha, 3'a\beta, 5'\alpha, 6'a\beta)$ -5-Chloro-2- $\{4-[5'-(2-methoxy-phenyl)-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl]-piperazin-1-yl}-pyrimidine, maleate;$ 

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'α, 6'aβ)-5-Chloro-2-[4-(5'-o-tolyl-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl)-piperazin-1-yl]- pyrimidine, maleate;

 $(2'\alpha, 3'a\beta, 5'\alpha, 6'a\beta)$ -2-Fluoro-4- $\{4-(5'-(2-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)$ -octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl]-piperazin-1-yl}-benzonitrile, maleate;

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'a, 6'aβ)-1-Phenyl-4-[5'-(3-pyrrolidin-l –yl methyl-phenyl)-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl]-piperazine, dimaleate;

5-Trimethylstannayl-3,3a,4,6a-tetrahydro-1H-pentalen-2-one, ethylene ketal;

5-(2-Cyano-phenyl)-3,3a,4,6a-tetrahydro-1H-pentalen-2-one;

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'α, 6'aβ)-2-Cyano-4-{4-[5'-(2-fluoro-phenyl)-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl]-piperazin-1-yl}-benzonitrile, maleate;

 $(2^{\circ}\alpha, 3^{\circ}a\beta, 5^{\circ}\alpha, 6^{\circ}a\beta)$ -2-Fluoro-4- $\{4-[5^{\circ}-(2-trifluoromethoxy-phenyl)-octahydro-pentalen-2^{\circ}-yl]$ -piperazin-1-yl $\}$ -benzonitrile, maleate;

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'α, 6'aβ)-2-Fluoro-4-{4-[5'-(2-fluoro-phenyl)-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl]-piperazin-1-yl}-benzonitrile, maleate;

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'α, 6'aβ)-2-Fluoro-4-[4-(5'-pyridin-2-yl-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl)-piperazin-1-yl]-benzonitrile, dihydrochloride;

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'α, 6'aβ)-2-Fluoro-4-[4-(5'-m-tolyl-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl)-piperazin-1-yl]-benzonitrile, maleate;

 $(2'\alpha, 3'a\beta, 5'\alpha, 6'a\beta)$ -2-Fluoro-4-[4-(5'-p-tolyl-octahydro-pentalen-2'-

yl)-piperazin-1-yl]-benzonitrile, maleate;

 $(2^{\circ}\alpha, 3^{\circ}a\beta, 5^{\circ}\alpha, 6^{\circ}a\beta)$ -N- $(2-\{5-[4-(5-Fluoro-pyrimidin-2-yl)-piperazin-1-yl]-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl}-phenyl)-acetamide, maleate;$ 

 $(2^{\circ}\alpha, 3^{\circ}a\beta, 5^{\circ}\alpha, 6^{\circ}a\beta)$ -N- $(2-\{5^{\circ}-[4-(4-Cyano-3-fluoro-phenyl)-piperazin-1 yl]-octahydro-pentalen-2^{\circ}-yl)$ -phenyl)-acetamide, maleate;

5-(2-Cyano-phenyl)-3,3a,4,6a-tetrahydro-1H-pentalen-2-one, ethylene ketal;

2-(5-Oxo-octahydro-pentalen-2-yl)-benzamide, ethylene ketal;

 $(2'\alpha, 3'a\beta, 5'\alpha, 6'a\beta)$ -2- $\{5'-[4-(4-Cyano-3-fluoro-phenyl)-piperazin-1-yl]$ -octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl)-benzamide, maleate;

(2' $\alpha$ , 3' $\alpha$  $\beta$ , 5'  $\alpha$ , 6  $\alpha$   $\beta$ )-2-Fluoro-4-[4-(3', 3' $\alpha$ , 4,' 5', 6' $\alpha$ -hexahydrospiro[isobenzofuran-1 (3H), 2'(1'H)-pentalen]-5'-yl)-1 -piperazinyl]-benzonitrile, maleate;

 $(2^{\circ}\alpha, 3^{\circ}a\beta, 5^{\circ}\beta, 6^{\circ}a\beta)$ -2-Fluoro-4-[(4-(3°, 3°a, 4°, 5°, 6°, 6°a-hexahydrospiro[isobenzofuran-1(3H), 2°(l'H)-pentalen]-5°-yl)-1 -piperazinyl]-benzonitrile, maleate;

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'α, 6'aβ)-5-Fluoro-2-[4-(3', 3'a, 4', 5', 6', 6'a-hexahydrospiro[isobenzofuran-l (3H), 2'(1'H)-pentalen]-5'-yl)-piperazin-1-yl]-pyrimidine;

(2'β, 3'aβ, 5'α, 6'aβ)-5-Fluoro-2-[4-(3', 3'a, 4', 5', 6', 6'a-hexahydrospiro[isobenzofuran-1 (3H), 2'(1'H)-pentalen]-5'-yl)-piperazin-1-yl-pyrimidine;

 $(2'\alpha, 3'a\beta, 5'\alpha, 6'a\beta)$ -5-Fluoro-2-[4-(3', 3'a, 4', 5', 6', 6'a-hexahydro-

3'a,6'a-dimethylspiro[isobenzofuran-1(3H), 2'(1'H)-pentalen]-5'-yl)-piperazinyl]-pyrimidine, maleate;

 $(2'\beta, 3'a\beta, 5'\alpha, 6'a\beta)$ -5-Fluoro-2-[4-(3', 3'a, 4', 5', 6', 6'a-hexahydro-3'a,6'a-dimethylspiro[isobenzofuran-l(3H), 2'(1'H)-pentalen]-5'-yl)-l-piperazinyl]-pyrimidine, maleate;

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'α, 6'aβ)-2-Fluoro-4-[4-(3, 3', 3'a, 4, 4', 5', 6', 6'a-hexahydrospiro[2H-1-benzopyran-2,2'(1'H)-pentalen]-5'-yl)-1 -piperazinyl]-benzonitrile, maleate;

 $(2'\alpha, 3'a\beta, 5'\beta, 6'a\beta)$ -2-Fluoro-4-[4-(3, 3', 3'a, 4, 4', 5', 6', 6'a-hexahydrospiro[2H-1-benzopyran-2,2'(1'H)-pentalen]-5'-yl)-1-piperazinyl]-benzonitrile, maleate;

 $(2^{\circ}\alpha, 3^{\circ}a\beta, 5^{\circ}\alpha, 6^{\circ}a\beta)$ -1-Phenyl-4- $(3, 3^{\circ}, 3^{\circ}a, 4, 4^{\circ}, 5^{\circ}, 6^{\circ}, 6^{\circ}a$ -hexahydrospiro[2H-1-benzopyran-2,2'(1'H)-pentalen]-5'-yl]-5'-yl)-piperazine, maleate;

 $(2'\beta, 3'a\beta, 5'\alpha, 6'a\beta)-l-Phenyl-4-\{3, 3', 3'a, 4, 4', 5', 6, 6'a-hexahydrospiro[2H-1-benzopyran-2,2'(l'H)-pentalen]-5'-yl]-5'-yl)-piperazine, maleate;$ 

 $(2'\alpha, 3'a\beta, 5'\alpha, 6'a\beta)$ -2-Fluoro-4-[4-(3, 3', 3'\alpha, 4, 4', 5', 6', 6'a-hexahydrospiro[2H-6-fluoro-1-benzopyran-2,2'(1H)-pentalen]-5'-yl)-5'-yl)-l-piperazinyl]-benzonitrile, maleate;

(2'β, 3'aβ, 5'α, 6'aβ)-2-Fluoro-4-[4-(3, 3', 3'a, 4, 4', 5', 6', 6'a-hexahydrospiro[2H-6-fluoro-1-benzopyran-2,2'(1H)-pentalen]-5'-yl]-5'-yl)-1-piperazinyl]-benzonitrile, maleate;

(2α,3aβ,5α,6aβ)-5-Benzylamino-hexahydropentalen-2-one, mono-

ethylene ketal;  $(2\alpha,3\alpha\beta,5\alpha,6\alpha\beta)$ -5-Amino-hexahydropentalen-2-one, mono -ethylene ketal;

 $(2\alpha,3\alpha\beta,5\alpha,6\alpha\beta)$ -5-(5-Fluoro-2-nitro-phenylamino)-hexahydropentalen-2-one, mono -ethylene ketal;

 $(2\alpha,3a\beta,5\alpha,6a\beta)$ -5-(2-Amino-5-fluoro-phenylamino)-hexahydropentalen-2-one, mono -ethylene ketal;

 $(2'\alpha, 3'a\beta, 5'\alpha, 6'a\beta)-2\text{-Fluoro-4-}\{4\text{-}[5'\text{-}(6\text{-fluoro-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-benzoimidazol-1-yl})-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl]-piperazin-1-yl}-benzonitrile,$  dimesylate;

 $(2'\alpha, 3'a\beta, 5'\alpha, 6'a\beta)$ -2-Fluoro-4- $\{4-[5'-(2-oxo-2, 3-dihydro-1)]$ 

benzoimidazol-1-yl)-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl]-piperazin-1 -yl}-benzonitrile, mesylate;

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'α, 6'aβ)-l-{5'-[4-(5-Fluoro-pyrimidin-2-yl)-piperazin-1-yl]-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl)-1,3-dihydro-benzoimidazol-2-one, mesylate;

 $(2\alpha,3a\beta,5\alpha,6a\beta)\text{-}5\text{-}(6\text{-}Fluoro\text{-}2\text{-}methyl\text{-}benzoimidazol\text{-}l\text{-}yl)\text{-}hexahydropentalen\text{-}2\text{-}one;}$ 

 $(2'\alpha, 3'a\beta, 5'\alpha, 6'a\beta)-2\text{-Fluoro-4-}\{4\text{-}[5'\text{-}(6\text{-fluoro-2-methylbenzomidazol-1-yl})-\text{octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl}]-piperazin-1-yl}-benzonitrile, dimesylate;$ 

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'α, 6'aβ)-6-Fluoro-2-methyl-l-[5'-(4-phenyl-piperazin-1-yl)-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl]-1H-benzoimidazole, dimaleate;

 $(2\alpha, 3a\beta, 6a\beta)$ -5-(1H-Indol-3-yl)-3,3a,4,6a-tetrahydro-1H-pentalen-2-one, mono-ethylene ketal;

 $(2'\alpha, 3'a\beta, 5'\alpha, 6'a\beta)$ -2-Fluoro-4- $\{4-[5'-(1H-indol-3-yl)-octahydro-1]$ 

pentalen-2'-yl]-piperazin-1-yl)-benzonitrile, maleate;

 $(2^{\circ}\alpha, 3^{\circ}a\beta, 5^{\circ}\alpha, 6^{\circ}a\beta)$ -3-[5'-(4-Phenyl-piperazin-1 -yl)-octahydropentalen-2'-yl]-1H-indole, maleate;

 $(2\alpha,3\alpha\beta,6\alpha\beta)$ -5-(4-Fluoro-phenoxy)-hexahydro-pentalen-2-one;

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'β, 6'aβ)-1-[5'-(4-Fluoro-phenoxy)-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl]-4-phenyl- piperazine, maleate;

 $(2'\alpha, 3'a\beta, 5'\beta, 6'a\beta)$ -2-Fluoro-4- $\{4-[5'-(4-fluoro-phenoxy)-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl]$ - piperazin-1-yl $\}$ -benzonitrile, maleate;

 $(2'\alpha, 3'a\beta, 5'\beta, 6'a\beta)-5-Fluoro-2-\{4-[5'-(4-fluoro-phenoxy)-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl]-piperazin-1yl\}-pyrimidine, maleate;$ 

(2'β, 3'aβ, 5'β, 6'aβ)-1-[5'-(4-Fluoro-phenoxy)-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl]-4-phenyl-piperazine, maleate;

 $(2'\alpha, 3'a\beta, 5'\beta, 6'a\beta)$ -2-[5'-(4-Phenyl-piperazin-1-yl)-octahydropentalen-2'-yl]-isoindole-1,3-dione maleate;

 $(2^{\circ}\alpha,3^{\circ}a\beta,5^{\circ}a,6^{\circ}a\beta)$ -5-Hydroxy-hexahydro-pentalen-2-one, ethylene ketal;

 $(2'\alpha,3'a\beta,5'\alpha,6'a\beta)-2-Oxo-3-(5-oxo-octahydro-pentalen-2-yl)-2,3-$  dihydro-benzoimidazole-1-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester, ethylene ketal;

 $(2'\alpha,3'a\beta,5'\alpha,6'a\beta)$ -2-(5-oxo-octahydro-pentalen-2-yloxy)-3H-benzoimidazole-l-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester, ethylene ketal;

 $(2'\beta, 3'a\beta, 5'\alpha, 6'a\beta)-3-\{5'-[4-(4-Fluoro-phenyl)-piperazin-1-yl]-$  octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl $\}$ -2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-benzoimidazole-1-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester;

 $(2'\beta, 3'a\beta, 5'\alpha, 6'a\beta)-1-\{5'-[4-(4-Fluoro-phenyl)-piperazin-1-yl]-0 ctahydro-pentalen-2'-yl\}-1,3-dihydro-benzoimidazol-2-one, maleate;$ 

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'β, 6'aβ)-2-Fluoro-4-{4-[5'-(2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-benzoimidazol-1-yl)-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl]-piperazin-l-yl)-benzonitrile, maleate;

 $(2'\beta, 3'a\beta, 5'\alpha, 6'a\beta)-1-\{5'-[4-(3,4-Difluoro-phenyl)-piperazin-1-yl]-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl\}-1,3-dihydro-benzoimidazol-2-one, maleate;$ 

(2'β, 3'aβ, 5'a, 6'aβ)-2-[5'-(4-Phenyl-piperazin-1-yl)-octahydropentalen-2'-yloxy]-1H-benzoimidazole, maleate;

 $(2'\alpha,3'a\beta,5'\alpha,6'a\beta)-2-(5-Oxo-octahydro-pentalen-2-yl)-isoindole-1\ ,3-dione;$ 

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'β, 6'aβ)-2-[5'-(4-Phenyl-piperazin-1-yl)-octahydropentalen-2'-yl]-isoindole-1,3-dione, maleate;

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'β, 6'aβ)-4-{4-[5'-(1,3-Dioxo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl]-piperazin-1 -yl}-2-fluoro-benzonitrile, maleate;

(2'α, 3'aβ, 5'β, 6'aβ)-2-{5'-[4-(5-Fluoro-pyrimidin-2-yl)-piperazin-1-yl]-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl}-isoindole-1,3-dione, maleate;

(2' $\beta$ , 3' $\alpha$ , 5' $\alpha$ , 6' $\alpha$  $\beta$ )-2-{5'-[4-(3,4-Difluoro-phenyl)-piperazin-1-yl]-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl}-isoindole-1 ,3-dione, maleate;

 $(2'\beta, 3'a\beta, 5'\alpha, 6'a\beta)-2-\{5'-[4-(4-Fluoro-phenyl)-piperazin-1-yl]-octahydro-pentalen-2'-yl\}-isoindole-l,3-dione, maleate; and,$ 

 $(2'\beta, 3'a\beta, 5'\alpha, 6'a\beta)$ -N-[5-(4-Phenyl-piperazin-1-yl)-octahydropentalen-2-yl]-benzamide, maleate.

7. – 16. (Cancelled).